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A PLEASING RECORD

Fisk University has been successful in raising an endowment fund of \$1,000,000. This is not a large endowment, but unique in that it is the first negro university to acquire anything remotely approximating such a sum.

But the most pleasant news of all is that the white citizens of Nashville donated a supplementary sum of \$50,000, to be used toward the teachers' salaries.

It reveals a kinder spirit slowly making itself felt in the South. Taken in conjunction with the news that lynching is falling off below the Mason and Dixon line, it leads the impartial observer to hope that the time is not far distant when the better elements of both races can get together and work out a scheme for living harmoniously as neighbors.

The negro is essential to the South as a laborer, and, in addition, he has many talents that would make him a valuable adjunct to society if he were properly trained.

Every tenth man, woman and child in continental United States is a negro.

Just as every tenth man, woman and child in the whole of the United States, including our island possessions, is brown, or shaded from a light brown to a coal black, as the Negroites of the Philippine Islands.

So we are eight whites under our flag to two blacks or browns, and we must make the best of it. We are doing wonders in the Philippines in bringing the peoples of those islands into the blessings of civilization and education; and the people there are doing wonders in responding.

In the final analysis, it will be found that the state school fund has not lost a single cent through its loans to the farmers of Oregon, secured by mortgages on their lands. We passed through this same kind of a hue and cry about twenty years ago, and there were numerous foreclosures. And after the smoke was all cleared away it was found that there had been no losses.

BET SUGAR PROTECTION

Growers of sugar beets are worried at the attitude of Senator LaFollette toward the tariff on sugar. The sugar beet section of Minnesota is actively fighting the senator's presidential candidacy because he, with other members of the tariff commission, has recommended to the president a reduction in the Cuban sugar tariff.

It seems that one-fourth of the sugar consumed in the United States is raised here at home, and three-fourths comes from Cuba. The argument of the beet growers is that lowering the tariff would temporarily reduce the price of sugar to consumers and automatically put the beet growers out of business.

We believe it was Grover Cleveland who said "the tariff is a local issue," which is a true and correct designation. Nevertheless, a nation is made up of local issues, the sum total of which local issues comprises the nation's business, and the prosperity of the nation depends on the prosperity of the various local industries.

But that isn't all. There is a good deal of talk about monopolies. There is no way to curb such combines except by competition. To reduce the sugar tariff would be playing into the hands of the sugar importers because beet production would thereby be minimized.

MR. GILE IS RIGHT or not, that has worked a great detriment to prunes. There are a good many people over the country who smile every time you speak of prunes and refer to boarding houses. Mr. Gile stated that the prune was really the

MY MARRIAGE PROBLEMS

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BET SUGAR IS SAFE

President Coolidge is not to be taken off his feet by irresponsible clamor. He is not going to reduce the sugar tariff and kill the beet sugar industry. LaFollette, who is sloshing around doing everything to get a vote, is demanding the killing of this great industry, but calm, dignified, far-seeing President Coolidge is going to protect an industry already great but which promises as well as any industry America has ever undertaken.

BORAH'S POSITION

Senator Borah takes a very sensible position. He is a progressive, but finds a way to progress through the republican party. He declares that there has never been a man in the White House with more courage than Coolidge. The public knows this is true. Coolidge is calm and deliberate, but he is strong. Senator Borah is also opposed to clipping the wings of the supreme court. He sees the danger of it.

A great many progressive republicans who are very thoroughly committed to the progressive policies of the country as enunciated by Roosevelt are supporting Coolidge. They see in Coolidge the man who can carry out their desires and a man who has the courage to do so.

WHEELER HELPS

A good friend asked the other day why the republicans did not reply to the charges of Senator Wheeler. We gave our answer, and now the national organization has given a similar answer. In both cases the answer was that Wheeler was helping the republicans. He is.

It is too much to say that the American people are not able to make values. They are. They may be temporarily deluded but they are going to learn the truth and when they learn the truth they are going to vote it.

MACDONALD FELL

England had a minority government. The labor government never had a fair chance. MacDonald was selected as premier with only about one-third of parliament back of him. There never was a moment that the majority was true to him. He went ahead and did the best he could. He had no chance to make policies, no chance to win a record for his party.

Premier MacDonald was not tactful. He should have refrained from offending his co-workers although the alliance was temporary. He should not have sprung things upon them that angered them. He should have used diplomacy and placated them whenever possible.

AN OLD TRICK

LaFollette and his supporters are crying loudly about the slush fund. It harks back to 1908. Alton B. Parker was the democratic candidate then and when he found himself slipping on all sides instead of throwing up his hands and going with the crowd he commenced talking about a slush fund.

There is no more to it now than there was then. It will have no more effect than it did then. It is a cheap trick to charge the other party with using money, but the trick is as old as politics. Probably at first it was effective, but it has been discredited so long that now nobody pays any attention to it.

TWO GENERALS

A French general and a German general, speaking from the same platform, announced that they were both pacifists. They declared the only way to end war was to disarm. That is further than we have gone in America, but it is in line with the sentiment generally held by the people. War is wicked and the people of America would be mighty hard to arouse to fight another one.

ADAMS DEPLORES BAD LEGISLATION

Move to Give Congress Power to Overrule Court Hit By Speaker

BITS FOR BREAKFAST

The day's work— Raising YMCA money. That is the big job in Salem now. The hand is to the plow, and there must be no looking back or lagging.

RICKEY

Mrs. A. G. Sherer of Payette, Idaho, has returned home after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Edwards.

Miss Hazel Harris and A. Van Cleave of Portland were guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Harris Saturday.

J. H. Gray, until recently of this place but now of Salem, had the misfortune of having his left thumb almost severed by the caper at the Starr cannery.

School is now in progress with 36 pupils enrolled. Mrs. E. Fordgard is in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. E. Fitzgerald of Lebanon and Mr. and Mrs. H. Y. Magee of Scotts Mills, were guests at the M. M. Magee home Sunday. Congratulations are now in order to the following young people of our community who were married recently: Mary Warner, who was married to Mr. Clodfelter of Portland; R. DeGuire who was married to Miss Bond of Salem; and Edna Griepentrog who was married to P. Sparhawk of Salem.

Fire Department Will Put on Noisy Dance

SILVERTON, Ore., Oct. 9.—(Special to The Statesman).—The Silverton fire department will put on another of its large and amusing dances next Saturday night, Oct. 11. The department meets many of its expenses in this manner and its dances usually receive the entire support of the Silverton community.

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STUDENTS PREPARE TO MEET CARAVAN

Arrival of Coast to Coast Political Tour Will Be Welcomed

Preliminary arrangements are being made by the Republican club of Willamette university for entertaining the coast-to-coast Coolidge-Dawes auto caravan which started Sept. 9 from Plymouth, Vermont, the birthplace of President Coolidge, and has been scheduled to stop in Salem according to an announcement made by John Hamlin, director College bureau, Republican national committee, in advice received here by Eugene F. Short, representative of the College Bureau.

The caravan of seven automobiles will reach San Francisco about the middle of October and will travel up the coast on its way north arriving in Salem on October 31. With the cooperation of local members of the Republican county central committee in Salem, the Republican club is planning an enthusiastic reception and a short program.

In speaking of the organized work of the Republican clubs in Pacific coast college this fall Short said, "The Republican club movement has been extended from the eastern colleges to the middle western colleges with splendid success under a program launched last year by John Hamlin. Students have shown widespread interest in the activities of these clubs which are organized to promote the policies of the National Republican party and in some schools mock conventions have been conducted as a part of the entertainment. Meetings in which nationally known speakers addressed the students on political affairs of the nation have created a growing interest in college groups toward discussions of national politics."

"In Oregon, the movement was quickly responded to by the colleges and clubs were formed at the University of Oregon, Oregon

AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE AND REED COLLEGE

Membership campaigns were conducted in which several hundred students joined. "Since its organization, the Willamette university club has been active in stimulating interest in national politics among the members of the student body and the plans of the club to welcome the members of the Coolidge-Dawes auto caravan is only a small part in their cooperation with the national movement."

Gary System Discussed By Lutheran Brotherhood

SILVERTON, Ore., Oct. 9.—(Special to The Statesman).—The Lutheran Brotherhood met for its regular monthly meeting Monday night at Trinity church. A. O. Nelson, president of the organization, suggested that the manner of meeting be changed so that instead of meeting every month as is done at present, only one regular meeting be held a year and all other meetings be subject to call. After much discussion it was voted to leave the constitution unchanged and meet every month.

Rev. George Henriksen thoroughly explained the Gary system of religious training in public schools to the members of the Brotherhood. Following some discussion on the matter the Brotherhood voted to recommend to Trinity and St. Johns congregations that their members avail themselves of the privilege as outlined by Superintendent Church III. The Gary system was met with a great deal of enthusiasm by the Brotherhood.

FUTURE DATES

October 8 to 10—YMCA campaign for \$200,000 building. October 10, Friday—Recital at Waller hall by Prof. Horace Rahaboff for benefit of Salem Women's club house. October 11-12, Saturday and Sunday—Veterans of Foreign Wars departmental council and ceremonial. October 25, Saturday—Annual Homecoming, Willamette university. November 11, Tuesday—Armistice day. November 20-22, Third Annual Corn Show and Industrial Exhibit, auspices Chamber of Commerce. Marion County YMCA Annual Convention, Salem, Oct. 17th.

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